

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT

In re application of: Price et al.

Atty Dkt No.: UCSDP001X1C1US/92-206-3

Application No.: 10/648,811

Examiner: Nguyen, B.

Filed: April 2, 1999

Group: 1641

Title: ASSAY OF YKL-40 AS A MARKER  
FOR DEGREDAATION OF MAMMALIAN  
CONNECTIVE TISSUE MATRICES

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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**PETITION**

**TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

(Under 37 CFR §1.136)

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136, Applicant requests a (2) month extension of time to the Office Action dated June 15, 2006.

Our Check including \$225.00 is hereby enclosed for payment of the Petition for a (2) Month Extension. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0388 (Order No. UCSDP001X1C1US).

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